

**FORECAST**—East to southeast winds increasing, partly cloudy with light scattered showers to-night. Wednesday, somewhat colder, with fresh northerly winds.

Sunshine yesterday, 2 hours 42 minutes.

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## Records of CBC Not To Be Made Public, M.P.'s Vote Rules On Sponsored Opinions Will Not Be Read to Committee

### Chairman Speaks

OTTAWA (CP)—The Commons committee on radio broadcasting today decided by a 7-to-5 vote it would not ask the board of governors of the Canadian Broadcasting Corporation to produce from their minutes excerpts regarding the broadcasting of sponsored opinions over the CBC network.

The motion for production of such sections of the minutes was made by Hon. J. Earl Lawson, Conservative, South York, Ont., as the committee discussed the denial of CBC network facilities to C. George McCullagh, publisher of the Toronto Globe and Mail.

L. W. Brockington, K.C., chairman of the CBC board of governors, went over in detail for the committee the corporation's policy against permitting use of its networks for the broadcasting of opinion or propaganda, which might, nevertheless, be broadcast from any private station. Mr. Lawson sought to have produced the record of the board's decision in that regard. After considerable discussion, Mr. Lawson moved his resolution.

Mr. Brockington said he personally did not care if the entire minutes of the CBC were produced. They would indicate merely that nine men and women had devoted two years of faithful and meticulous care to the conduct of the CBC.

### PRINCIPLES INVOLVED

"I, and I am sure the board of governors, don't care personally whether the minutes are seen or not. But we are custodians of an ideal and some of us would have definite ideas as the final effect of their production on this autonomous organization," he said.

In his outline of the board's policy, he had given the substance of any minutes and policy evolved over the months on that particular issue, he said. It had always been understood the CBC would never allow purchase of time on its network for the regulation of quasi-political broadcasts.

### LENGTHY DISCUSSIONS

Mr. Lawson asked what regulations were in effect on January 3, 1939, the date on which Mr. McCullagh made application for a network through which to broadcast his series of addresses.

"The position at that time was the position I told you in my evidence in chief," replied Mr. Brockington. "The CBC board of governors had always considered and had discussed over a long period the policy that opinion and propaganda broadcasting should not be disseminated over its own network."

The committee will meet again Friday.

### THE WEATHER

Victoria, 8 a.m. today—A moderate depression is centred northwest of Vancouver Island and from the coast of the mainland is approaching northern British Columbia. The weather has been showery and cold on the coast with light scattered showers in the interior. It remains quite cold over the prairie provinces.

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Operations at New Westminster Increase

**NEW WESTMINSTER** — A capital surplus of \$173,260, and an earned surplus of \$30,459, is shown in the annual report of the Pacific Coast Terminal Co. Ltd., issued here by W. B. Lanigan, president.

Income increased by \$1,235, operating expenses increased \$18,277, and operating profit increased \$17,297. Net profits for the year was up \$13,911 over the previous year.

During the year, Mr. Lanigan's report says, the company spent \$32,179 in reconstruction of its property at New Westminster. A contract for a \$200,000 development scheme was let this week.

Mr. Lanigan says the company last year installed a quick-freezing process for vegetables and fruits, freezing and storing 150 tons. This year the equipment is to be increased to 600-ton capacity.

"During 1938, 438 deep-sea ships were handled at the Terminal docks, compared with 407 in 1937," says the report. But tonnage decreased 28,884 tons, principally in lumber, doors, bar metal and concentrates—due to marketing conditions.

**New Auto Camp At Langford Lake**

**LANGFORD** — L. Bagnall, formerly of New York, who has come to reside in Victoria, has purchased several acres on Leigh Road and Island Highway near Langford Lake. The land is being cleared of brush and small timber, preparatory to the building of six up-to-date cabins for an automobile camp.

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**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

Just In—Large assortment latest costume jewelry. F. S. Martin, 621 Fort. \*\*\*

The ladies committee of the Protestant Orphans' Home are collecting donations from the following for the month of February: Mrs. Dillabough, Mrs. Simpson, A Friend, Junior Red Cross, Mrs. Price, Mrs. Grey, St. Margaret's School, Mrs. F. V. Longstaff, Mr. and Mrs. Loreland, L. H. Hardie Circle King's Daughters, Mrs. H. Segler, Mr. Quail, Mrs. Horton, Mrs. Hazel Watson, Dr. Bryant, Dr. Gibson, Times and Colonist. \*\*\*

We appeal again for old cotton, linen and clothes. Material for bandages urgently needed now. Committee for Medical Aid for China, 1426 Government Street, 2 to 5. E 4725. \*\*\*

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**Martin Cuts Auto Union's Staff**

**DETROIT** (AP) — Homer Martin's convention of United Automobile Workers presented a financial program calculated to save the union's salaries as a major inducement today for support from the industry's workers.

Lopping off four of five vice-presidencies and reducing the executive board membership, the convention slashed payroll costs to \$52,000, compared with \$83,000 a year for the original U.A.W. setup.

The rearrangements, which presumably "Martin's union" will follow out if no peace develops between itself and the faction supported by the Congress of Industrial Organizations, leave the president drawing a \$5,000 salary, a vice-president and secretary-treasurer \$4,000 each, and 13 board members \$3,000 each.

The U.A.W. has been paying its president \$5,000, five vice-presidents \$4,000 each, 18 board members \$3,000, and the secretary-treasurer \$4,000.

4 New U.S. Cruisers

**WASHINGTON** (AP) — President Roosevelt authorized the United States navy today to build four new 6,000-ton cruisers. The cost of the four will total about \$48,000,000, or approximately \$12,000,000 apiece.

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## Controversy On Bomb Shelters

British Government Gives Away Steel Refuges, But Efficacy Doubted

By GUY RHOADES  
Canadian Press Staff Writer

**LONDON** — The government will give steel "bomb-proof" shelters to British urban families whose incomes are not more than \$1,250, but the argument as to whether they will benefit seems likely to continue.

Propaganda of deep bomb shelters maintain the government's "family" refugees—some looking like conical sentry boxes, others like big dog kennels—will not provide the protection the public needs. They argue the shelters are likely to be buried and the occupants imprisoned.

Manufacturers of the conical type have put their product through a rigorous test. In a mock village of specially constructed houses they buried two shelters. Between them they detonated a 500-pound high-explosive bomb. The shelters were intact when they were uncovered.

However, said critics, that did not prove the shelters could stand a direct hit (the manufacturers had not claimed they could) and, besides, no one was inside the shelter when the bomb exploded. Therefore, they argued, the test could not be accepted as proof occupants of the refuge would not be killed by concussion.

No one except a girl and a war veteran whose services were not accepted, appears anxious to act as human guinea pig for a concussion experiment.

**APES POPULAR**

Some critics suggested an ape might be used as a substitute for a man in such an experiment. One difficulty arose at once—London's ape population is confined mostly to zoos. The animals are friends of the people, known by their front names, Joey, Moine and the like. Any attempt to explode bombs under a pal of a large section of London would be resisted.

So, in the absence of a test satisfactory to all critics, steel mills continue rolling out \$100,000 worth of little steel huts that will hold five persons at a pinch and a growing number of civic authorities and influential individuals urge construction of deep permanent shelters that could be used as parking places for cars in peace time.

**OIL SURVEYS TO BE CONTINUED**

Further exploration will be carried out in the Peace River block before the government commences actual test drilling for oil Premier Pattullo said today.

Preliminary surveys carried out last year in the Hudson's Hope and Pine River areas, will be followed up this summer by Dr. A. H. Cox, geologist, and Dr. M. Y. Williams, of U.B.C.

The Premier said further surveys were necessary to determine the most likely place oil would be struck.

"We want to be as certain as possible before drilling is started, because that costs a good deal of money," the Premier said.

The Legislature last session passed a vote of \$60,000 for the oil exploration scheme.

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According to Matthews, these indicators are: 1. Ninety-day bill rates, which would have to increase above the very nominal rates now available. 2. Loans and discounts, which would have to increase in both New York City and member banks reporting in 101 cities. 3. Trend of government holdings, which would



**AIR RAID SHELTER TESTED**—British War Office heads were pleased when the conical type bomb shelter, pictured above, successfully stood up under a shower of bricks. A wall was pushed over on it. The cameraman found the young woman emerging safely.

## RETURNS TO B.C. AFTER RELEASE

**HACKENSACK, N.J.** (CP) — Henry Meyerhoff, 56, year-old former New Jersey banker who was extradited from Canada in December for failure to pay a \$1,000 fine here, today headed west by plane to rejoin the circus he founded in British Columbia while living there on parole.

Meyerhoff, formerly president of a defunct trust company here, was released yesterday from the county jail when the court accepted a deed of property put up by a friend as a bond to guarantee payment of the fine by December 31.

President of the Morseire Trust Company in December, 1930, when the bank failed for \$100,000, Meyerhoff was brought to trial four years later. He received a suspended sentence of four to six years, was fined \$1,000 and ordered to make restitution of \$1,840 to depositors within the next five years.

Immediately after his trial he obtained permission from probation officers to travel to British Columbia, where he said he organized a circus, which toured the Pacific Coast. Up to June, 1938, he paid installments on his fine totaling \$250.

**TREND UPWARD, ECONOMIST SAYS**

**NEW YORK**—The recent declining phase of the market has been completed and a rally will follow to resume the upward trend, said D. Walton Matthews, president of Bondex, Inc., bank portfolio consultants, today in a special bulletin to clients. This coming advance should eventually carry stock prices into new high ground for the bull market. The long sideways formation in speculative markets evident for the past month is now ending with a break-through probable on the upside—indicating that the declining phase since November 1938 has reversed itself for a development of a new upthrust in speculative markets."

Matthews continued and cautioned "that the market might fluctuate between the high of November, 1938, and the low of January, 1939, for a period of months until a solid base is formed similar to that made in 1934 prior to the dynamic advance from 1934 to March, 1937."

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## Urges Reduction In Phone Rates

Quebec M.P. Files Request for Dominion-wide 20 Per Cent Cut

**OTTAWA** (CP) — A request by Wilfrid Lacroix, Liberal member of the House of Commons for Quebec-Montmorency, for a 20 per cent reduction in telephone tolls throughout Canada has been entered with the Transport Commission.

In his submission to the board, Mr. Lacroix recalled that from 1930 to 1937 the active assets of the Bell Telephone Company had increased from \$244,296,000 to \$285,845,000. In the meantime the company had renewed its equipment to the extent of \$103,627,000. Dividends paid by the company ranged from 8 per cent to 7½ per cent.

The net revenue of the company in 1937 was \$12,747,802, or approximately 17½ per cent of its paid up capital, Mr. Lacroix said. Of that amount \$7,634,863 was transferred to reserve and \$6,122,938 made available for dividends.

In 1930 the company's payroll for 14,509 employees was \$21,688,004, while in 1937 these figures had been cut to 10,163 employees and \$16,738,188 in salaries and wages. Despite the depression, said Mr. Lacroix, the net assets had increased progressively from 1930 to 1937 by more than \$32,000,000, while equipment replacements had totaled \$103,000,000.

Mr. Lacroix asks also that the question be studied whether it is in the public interest for the company to continue further "mechanization" of its equipment, which has resulted in increasing unemployment.

## CHINA BUILDING NEW AIR FORCE

Russian and U.S. Equipment and Advice For Third Force

**VANCOUVER** (CP) — Four appeals were dismissed and two allowed by the British Columbia Court of Appeal, which met in Vancouver today and handed down judgments in cases argued at a previous sitting.

The court dismissed the appeal of Mrs. Anna Murdoch of Victoria from Mr. Justice D. A. McDonald's refusal to order an inquiry as to whether her husband, David Murdoch, former chief of police of Kelowna, B.C., has regained his sanity.

Murdoch was charged with the murder at Kelowna in January, 1932, of Jean Nolan and was acquitted on the ground of insanity. He was later committed to the Colquitz Mental Home, Saanich.

With Mr. Justice C. H. O'Halloran dissenting, the court allowed an appeal of the Crown from a decision of Judge H. H. Shandley in County Court in Victoria, who dismissed a charge against the Island Pacific Oil Co. Ltd. for alleged violation of the Fire Marshals' Act in respect to the installation of a gasoline pump.

Chief Justice Archer Martin announced the court unanimously reaffirmed its previous decision and dismissed the appeals of Gordon Lim, 42, and Wong Ying, 40, Chinese, from a conviction at the Vancouver Assizes in January, 1938, for conspiracy to distribute opium.

They were each sentenced to

the maximum terms of seven years' imprisonment in the New Westminster penitentiary by Mr. Justice Robertson.

The appeal of A. L. Guinness, 41-year-old physiotherapist and telegrapher, who was convicted at the Vancouver Assizes on November 15, 1938, and sentenced by Mr. Justice Denis Murphy to two years' imprisonment in the penitentiary for unlawfully causing a drug to be taken with intent to procure a miscarriage, was dismissed.

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Overall costs of the company are running at about \$35,000 per month, Mr. Tait said. This leaves net profit of around \$70,000 for the month.

**Canadian Industries Has Reduced Income**

**MONTRÉAL** (CP) — Decline of \$1,205,108 was reported today by Canadian Industries Limited in net income of \$4,516,754 for the year ended December 31, compared with \$5,721,862 in 1937.

After dividend payments of \$325,500 on preferred and \$4,140,714 on common, \$50,540 was forwarded to the capital share, for the fiscal year ended November 30, 1938. This was nearly double the previous 12 months' total of \$1,081,513, or \$1,90 a share.

Net sales for the fiscal year were \$28,387,474, a new high, and a gain of \$7,397,113 or 35 per cent over sales for the preceding 12 months.

## DOUGLAS AIRCRAFT DOUBLES PROFITS

**NEW YORK** (AP) — Douglas Aircraft Co. today reported net profit of \$2,146,392 or \$3.76 a capital share, for the fiscal year ended November 30, 1938. This

was a new high, and a gain of \$7,397,113 or 35 per cent over sales for the preceding 12 months.

## On the Prairies

### NEW TAXES FOR OUTSIDE INVESTORS

**WINNIPEG** — Imposition of a special 5 per cent tax on all money paid to nonresidents from wealth produced in Manitoba, is suggested in a resolution which S. E. Rogers, Social Credit leader, will present in the Manitoba Legislature. In his resolution, Mr. Rogers estimates 40 per cent of all wealth produced in Manitoba is exported to other provinces or outside the Dominion. He asks that the special tax be imposed so nonresidents who receive such wealth may contribute to the maintenance of the public services.

**OTTAWA** (CP) — Long debates have been so much the rule in the House of Commons this session that the speedy termination of a debate on crop insurance yesterday afternoon caught the government off its guard. George W. McDonald, Liberal, Souris, Man., was the only speaker on his motion calling for a special committee of the House to report on possibility of introducing a crop insurance scheme in the prairie provinces for the 1940 year.

At least four more speakers

were on the whips' list as intending to take part in the debate, and Hon. J. G. Gardiner, Minister of Agriculture, was expected to present the government's viewpoint. However, when Mr. McDonald sat down no one else rose to continue the debate.

The Speaker asked if the House was ready for the question and no objection was raised. He asked if the House would enter a resolution to continue the debate.

At the time the Dominion government took over the Grand Trunk Railway as part of the Canadian National Railways Sir Joseph was appointed chairman of the C.N.R. board. The appointment was a tribute to his great organizing abilities.

Born in Peterborough, Ont., he was educated in the public schools of that city. He became a resident of Toronto in 1887.

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## Urges Union Depot For Montreal

MONTREAL — G. R. MacLeod, M.E.I.C., one of the most prominent members of the engineering profession in Canada, stated here today that the expenditure of Canadian taxpayers' money on the excavation at Dorchester Street in Montreal for a railway terminal was not in the best interests of Canada, the Canadian National Railways or the people of Montreal.

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From the standpoint of Montreal, Mr. MacLeod pointed out that it would be a shame to miss the opportunity of using the present excavation as a civic centre. "We must make provision for the future," he said, "and my own belief is that the tunnel under the mountain and the Dorchester Street 'hole' should be taken over by the city at once, as a basis for the expansion and correction of our present transit system. The city should lease the tunnel to the Montreal Tramways Company, or operate a municipal service through it. The growth of the city is going to be back of the mountain, and it is easy to see how this development would be aided by a system under which all the tramway and bus services in that territory could give transfers to a rapid transit service to the centre of the city."

### Arita Says Japan Not Totalitarian

TOKIO (CP-Havas) — Japan is not a totalitarian state and therefore not hostile to Great Britain, the United States or France, Foreign Minister Hachiro Arita told the Diet Monday in reply to questions. The belief prevailing in some quarters in the United States and Great Britain that the Rome-Tokio-Berlin anti-communist pact constituted an alliance aimed at the democracies was completely erroneous, Arita asserted. The pact was solely directed against the "machinations" of the communists, which was behind the conflict in China, he added.

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### CANADIAN ART FIGURE PASSES

Albert H. Robson  
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TORONTO (CP) — Albert H. Robson, 37, outstanding in the field of Canadian art and literature and vice-president of the Toronto Art Gallery, died yesterday of a heart condition. He had returned home last week from a hospital, where he had received treatment for an ankle fractured two months ago.

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### ENGLISH HOMES WAR SHELTERS

Great Estates Offered  
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Air Raid Defences

LONDON (CP) — Storied castles of Britain's highborn are being earmarked as hospitals, air raid precautions shelters or refuges for children—just in case steel begins to fly in disputes involving the British Isles.

Civilian defence preparations, still slow and creaking almost half a year after the 1938 crisis, now include listings of a dozen or more great homes offered for use in wartime.

In the feverish days late last September a swarm of children, rushed out of London while their parents dug trenches in the parks, played in Stanmer Park, stately home of the Earl of Chichester, near Lewes in Sussex. The Earl says:

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## Is It So Fantastic?

ONE OF THE CHIEF OBJECTIONS so far advanced to the proposal for the calling of an international peace and disarmament conference is the fear that nothing would come of it. Nor will anybody concede that the present is the most propitious time for such a gathering.

There are none the less weak points in the general argument advanced to support objections to the proposal. To begin with, unless we are to assume that the peoples of the rapidly-armament countries are really looking forward to still greater tax burdens, content to face the risk of a war of incalculable proportions, willing to forego progressive expenditures for the improvement of their lot, those who have been taught that governments are their servants and not their masters would vote wholeheartedly and immediately in favor of such a meeting. Secondly, supposing Great Britain, or the United States, or Soviet Russia should take the initiative and issue invitations to all nations to send representatives to an international conference to examine at close quarters the effects of their own bungling statesmanship, would it not reveal to the world at large who are really the culprits mainly responsible for its present condition? How would the armaments manufacturers show up as champion lobbyists?

In any event, what is there to lose by adopting a commonsense method of trying to get at the bottom of international stupidity, of trying to find out by business methods, if not by humanitarian and economic means, how it is that two men can keep two billion people continually in a state of jitters? As matters stand, the most enlightened nations of the world, through their governments, are literally confessing that there seems nothing to be done about the nefarious scheming of the Nazi oligarchy at Berlin, the Fascist fire-eater at Rome, or the military junta at Tokio—nothing but to wait until one or other of them, or all of them, test out their theories by imposing the alternative of fight or surrender on the supposedly powerful democracies.

No matter how fantastic the suggestion of an immediate world conference may be, it is not half so fantastic as the spectacle of Great Britain and France, twenty years after having given Germany a good whipping for her behavior in 1914, compelled to arm against the machinations of a former corporal in the armies of the exiled ex-Kaiser of the old German Reich.

## Spain

CONDITIONS IN SPAIN FOR THE NEXT few days bid fair to be of a very complex nature by reason of the fact that factions in the anti-Franco forces are squabbling among themselves—a not unusual development in such circumstances. It comes of a general sorting out of conflicting opinions, frustrated hopes, and mixed emotionalisms. It must not be forgotten, however, that the majority are stalwart patriots and they will furnish the strength of will essential to the re-establishment of law and order. But complete rehabilitation and promise of permanent stability in the country depend to a large extent upon the program which Fascist General Franco initiates after the curtain has been rung down on the fighting.

Into this question immediately is injected the question as to how tightly Franco's hands are tied to the Rome-Berlin axis. When the British government formally recognized his administration a week ago, Prime Minister Chamberlain explained to the House of Commons that his cabinet had "noted with satisfaction the public statements of General Franco concerning his determination to secure the traditional independence of Spain." This may be well and good; but as we observed in these columns at the time, neither Downing Street, the Quai d'Orsay, nor the public at large has any definite knowledge of the price Franco agreed to pay Germany and Italy for their active and decisive participation in his cause, for their assurance of his ultimate triumph in battle.

The world now knows enough about the technique the totalitarian states have employed so successfully in other countries to realize that there has been nothing altruistic in the part Reichsfuehrer Hitler and Premier Mussolini have played in Spain's civil war. Fascist General Franco may—although it is doubtful—desire to "secure the traditional independence of Spain" by taking such steps as would obviously be necessary to get rid of the host of Italian and German "auxiliaries" whose assistance has brought about the result desired by Rome and Berlin. Was Franco, however, at any time in a position to guarantee the policy to which Mr. Chamberlain referred in such hopeful terms in his statement to the Commons last week?

It all comes back to what most thinking people regard as the plain truth. Franco got Italian and German backing solely because the heads of the two totalitarian states require an authoritarian Spain for use in their combined scheme to extract further concessions from Great Britain and France. This is not to say their game will succeed. They may yet tantalize Mr. Chamberlain and M. Daladier to a point at which they will be sufficiently courageous to say "No," and tell

Herr Hitler and Signor Mussolini they must either leave Spain to work out her own salvation—with, be it noted, British and French financial support and, quite likely, profit-guaranteeing concessions—or fight. For another reason, of course, would produce unpleasant consequences for the British government.

## Arita the Sophist

IN THE JAPANESE DIET YESTERDAY, Foreign Minister Hachiro Arita categorically refuted any suggestion that Japan was a totalitarian state or hostile either to Great Britain or the United States, and declared emphatically that the Rome-Berlin-Tokio anti-Comintern pact was directed solely against the "machinations" of the Comintern—which, he would have the world believe, "is behind the conflict in China."

Even as diplomatic eye-wash, this is a miserably weak solution to apply to the present relationship of Japan to the European authoritarian states, and, of course, will fool nobody. If the Japanese Foreign Minister considers his action and attitude of the Tokio government toward the interests of Great Britain and the United States in the Far East as friendly, a wide bridge has yet to be built to span the difference between the Occidental and the Oriental interpretation of what is hostile and what is not.

Foreign Minister Arita can declaim until he is blue in the face, he can summon all the lexicographers in the world to assist him, but the fact will remain that Japan is totalitarian in practice, brutalitarian in war, and hostile to the democracies, both in intent and performance.

Her campaign against the Chinese, from the beginning of her imperialistic march on and seizure of Manchuria in 1931, is part of her own plan to gain domination of the Pacific, and a policy complementary to the technique which has won many successes for the Nazi and Fascist oligarchies at Berlin and Rome. It is patent, of course, that the Arita tongue is in the cheek when he repeats the threadbare ditty that Japan's undeclared war in China is being waged solely in order that the Chinese may be delivered from the "machinations" of Soviet Russia's brand of Communism.

All things considered, however, the democracies cannot complain if Foreign Minister Arita resorts to sophistry when he feels inclined. By this time he must be getting used to the familiar phraseology of protests with which Tokio has been bombarded from time to time by Downing Street, the Quai d'Orsay, and Washington. He and his colleagues evidently intend to keep up the "irritation" in the Orient just as Reichsfuehrer Hitler and Premier Mussolini are doing in Europe—until the democracies, toward which we are told Japan is not hostile, call for a very definite show-down.

## Germany's Wooden Suits

UNIVERSALLY READ WEEKLY, THE magazine Time, says a favorite subject for jokes which circulate surreptitiously in Germany, are ersatz (substitute) materials the Nazis have developed to take the place of imported commodities.

We can well imagine, therefore, that many a German enjoyed a quiet chuckle when he received a fake bill demanding payment for a suit of clothes made of wood fabric instead of wool. It read from Woodman & Co., 265 Forest Avenue:

"To Theophilus Eleat:  
Marks  
Suit material chopped down 50  
Branches trimmed off 10  
Jacket sawed and nailed 35  
Pockets chiseled out 10  
Lapels screwed on and hinged 25  
Buttonholes bored 10  
Reforestation 10% extra.

All that requires to be added is the suggestion that if the suit should sprout in the spring, all "shoots" should be carefully cut off and stored for use as patches when the garment begins to show signs of wear.

## PEOPLE WILL SIGN ANY PETITION

From Moose Jaw Times-Herald  
The Ottawa Journal urges Premier King to "put away his fears of Fascism," and Dr. Marion his "weariness" over those "leadership" ballots that "a young publisher in Toronto is inducing people to send to Members of Parliament." The Journal says: "Those leadership ballots, calling for nothing more than a pair of scissors to cut something out of young Mr. McCullagh's newspaper, tell only that there are people in the world who will put their names to anything, no matter how crazy, provided somebody asks them."

"There are petitions, for example. Let anybody get up a petition to make it compulsory for everybody to dance the 'Lambeth Walk' and we venture to think that scores of thousands would sign it. That is why, every session, tremendous bundles of petitions are dragged into the House (one member had 167,000 names on one petition alone) and laid solemnly on the table, with nobody paying the slightest attention to them, and the majority not even knowing what the blessed things are about."

"So we're not at the barricades yet. Mr. McCullagh's 'ballots' are about as important as last year's unanimous decision that the weather was not what it used to be, and will make about as much difference to what happens in Parliament as last year's grumbling about the weather made to the weather."

"A few years ago in the United States they were all talking about the mighty followings of Father Coughlin and a fellow called Townsend. Coughlin, going strong on the radio, had a 'Social Justice League' which was supposed to have 5,000,000 members (it used to send petitions to Congress), and Townsend was supposed to have 20,000,000 followers. In the headlines, the thing looked tremendous, but when Coughlin and Townsend got together in the presidential election they found they couldn't elect a single candidate. They couldn't, in fact, have elected a poundkeeper in Poughkeepsie."

"It is precisely that way with this 'leadership' league."

## As I See It

By ELMORE PHILPOTT

## THE FASCISTS REBUFFED

IT IS PROBABLE that the foreign ministers in every democratic country heaved a sigh of genuine relief when the news came that Cardinal Pacelli had been elected Pope of the Catholic Church. Never was it more important for the world as a whole that there should be at the head of the Roman Catholic institution a leader willing and able to stand against the strange menaces of these years. The record of the new Pope is such as greatly to encourage those who appreciate the implications of any working agreement between Catholicism and Fascism at the expense of democracy.

Both Hitler and Mussolini had stuck their chins out, so to speak, and advised the Catholic cardinals to elect a Pope friendly to Fascism. Il Telegrafo, the mouthpiece of Count Ciano, had publicly warned the church that the election of Cardinal Pacelli would be unwelcome to the Fascist leaders. Mussolini's son-in-law even went to the extent of naming, through this newspaper, his own nominee—Cardinal della Costa of Florence. In Germany, Herr Goebbels named no names, but he did declare that there were cardinals sympathetic with the Nazi point of view, and he did wage against the election of a political cardinal, like Pacelli.

On this continent Protestants at least will remember the new Pope for his surprising visit to America in the last Presidential election. When Father Coughlin was making his abusive and wild personal attacks on President Roosevelt the then Cardinal Pacelli was listening in person. His visit was supposed to have something to do with Father Coughlin's subsequent enforced public apology, and subsequent disappearance from the radio chains.

## TWO WINGS

NOW FATHER COUGHLIN has become the open ally of Nazi anti-Semitism in the United States. His newspaper has published the notorious forgery, "The Protocols of the Elders of Zion," which has been branded by the Vatican as well as by all other impartial authorities as a diabolical fabrication. On more than one occasion his pro-Fascist radio speeches have been followed by disclaimers of responsibility on the part of Catholic bishops, or even higher clerics. But it was apparent to anyone who took the trouble to read the Catholic press of the United States that there was a serious difference of opinion between two wings within the church, and that important results would follow if the pro-Fascist wing became supreme by reason of the election of a Pope belonging to that school of thought.

Hence the deep-seated relief in what could be called the Protestant world at the election of His Holiness, Pius XII. Never was it so essential that the forces which want peace should organize to assure it. The new Pope could well open a new era in world relations if he made himself, in the minds and hearts of all men, the leader of the forces for peace.

Besides heavy chemical industries, Sudeten factories manufacture consumer goods such as toys, novelties, imitation jewelry, glassware, porcelain and textiles. The textile establishment is extensive, much of it having served a large export market. Insufficient quantities of the raw materials going into these products are found in Germany. Manufacture and raw material imports from the United States have increased.

Annexation of Austria has posed a similar problem, which the Nazis haven't been able to solve, either. The bulk of the tiny nation's population was concentrated in Vienna, its industries were almost without exception those that would compete with existing German plants. Besides tourists, one of former Austria's

important sources of foreign exchange, has just stopped coming to Vienna since the Germans changed its character from that of the delightful "genueitlich" city of old.

## INTELLIGENCE INTERNATIONAL

From New Yorker

## FREEDOM OF THE PRESS

From Printed Word (Toronto)

Back in the early 1900's counsel for safety in editorial writing was expressed in the sentence: "Say what you like about the Czar of Russia, but go easy on the boys at home." Editors who followed this sage advice gained a reputation for fearless writing and still kept their papers out-of-label suits.

## TO MARCH

So now, O March, 'tis you who are our guest. At times quite nice; at other times, a pest. Your blustering ways are sometimes most un-couth.

You make yourself a nuisance month, in sooth.

But when you smile — ah, March, you're charming, quite.

Then why not start your smiling stunt to-night?

Why wait until your stay is near its end. To make yourself not only guest, but friend? Why not commence right now with sunny ways?

And set us talking of "these nice warm days?"

Dear March, sweet March, frown not on human-kind.

Toss winter out — then spring's not far behind

Let those who will praise summer and its flow'r,

Or autumn with its many-tinted bow'r,

Or even spring herself, with branch and bud,

And sometimes (unpoetic!) too much mud.

You, March, 'tis you your human friends will praise.

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## MUSSOLINI-ITES IN CANADA

To the Editor:

The writer, as one of the true Italian-Canadians in Victoria, takes exception to

Joseph Balagno's personal views of

Italy's present situation.

It is very well for Fascist news to

say that "Mussolini will be ready

to give jobs to all Italians who

would go back."

But what kind of job, a military or a spy's one?

Mr. Balagno says that his brother

informed him that everyone is

prosperous in Italy, work is

plentiful, wages and living condi-

tions are satisfactory.

Such information

mailed from Italy could not be

taken as a sincere manifestation

because all Italians know that all

letters registered

are always opened in

Italy by a special board created

for that purpose.

Moreover, the information offered is

the antithesis of Mussolini's public mani-

festation and cry for Italy's need of

## Expect Tax Cut

### City Council Passes Objective in Reduction of Expenditure Estimates

A reduced tax rate appeared assured for Victoria today, following completion of the City Council's second attack on the draft expenditure estimates last night.

When the mayor and aldermen, sitting in committee, rose from their labors, they had slashed another \$101,823.65 from the draft budget. That, with the \$74,128.40 cut in the opening session last week, brought the total reductions from the original figures to \$175,950.55. It was necessary to reduce the draft only \$125,400 to bring the budget into line with the requirements for a 42 mill rate, the rate which prevailed last year.

The anticipated \$60,000 cut in the appropriation for new water works mains formed the main portion of the reduction last night. In addition, the figure of \$20,000 was pruned from the original vote for unemployment relief.

There are, however, some additions to me made to the expenditure estimates and the tax rate policy has not yet been set.

Opening the budget discussion, the mayor remarked the estimates still had to be slashed materially and that the council should not lose sight of the fact that next year the city had to raise \$150,000 for debt retirement.

The building inspector's stationery vote was cut \$20 and the City Hall building maintenance item was lowered \$23.15. Furniture estimates were reduced \$100 and \$50 was taken from each of the fuel, light and water and janitor's supplies estimates. The exterior painting price was reduced \$350, the sum of \$1,025 was slashed from the \$1,500 vote for improving the comptroller's office, to leave it at \$475, and \$37 was struck from the health of office renovation account.

### GARBAGE ISSUE UNDER FIRE

Discussion arose over the garbage disposal system, Alderman Ed Williams stating the city was taking its garbage out by the back door and letting it float back onto the front door. He conceded dumping under present conditions, was unsatisfactory. He saw an incinerator or a proper dump as the only satisfactory system.

No actual contract existed, he said.

The return of the garbage to city beaches was a disgrace, he added. The estimate of \$5,700 was left untouched.

Cost of garbage cans was lowered \$50 to \$1,300. Labor and material estimates for the department were reduced \$161.50 to \$33.200.

The "Clean-up Week" vote was raised \$100 to \$250. A sum of \$500 was taken from the \$11,000 estimate for sewer maintenance covering labor and material. Government and Cecilia Street pumps.

The surface drain and ditch figure was reduced \$250 to \$750, and \$600 was cut from estimates for the repairs to outfalls and main surface drains, to leave it at \$2,500.

The \$9,330 item for new storm sewers and the extension of Bowker Creek was reduced \$4,500 on the creek allowance and \$2,330 on the storm sewers, to leave the combined vote \$2,500.

The committee reduced the public works plant vote \$384 to an even \$2,000.

The water commissioner's car allowance was reduced \$25 to \$150.

A vote for a new water billing in a new rate, costing \$3,060, was struck out and \$200 was cut from the stationery estimates to leave it at \$1,163.

General waterworks maintenance estimates were slashed \$1,628 to \$20,000. Another \$1,000 was taken from expenditures for Sooke Lake system, leaving it at \$5,875.

Estimated costs of service renewals were lowered \$100 to \$1,300, hydrant repairs \$170 to \$1,600, valves and hydrants \$1,000 to \$5,000, and the Smith's Hill vote was cut \$100 to \$400. The Elk Lake vote was reduced \$100 to \$300, and \$500 was taken from the amount for replacing mains for the Sooke Harbor system, which became \$3,000.

### MAIN REDUCTION

The committee made the major

## City Council Topics

### MORE TREES FOR CITY BOULEVARDS

The City Council parks committee last night announced the start of a beautification campaign to repair the ravages of tree felling on city boulevards. The announcement, which stated flowering trees and shrubs, including birch, mountain ash and flowering plum, would be planted on sections of Yates, Faithful and Richardson Streets, was greeted with enthusiasm. Alderman S. H. Okell, parks committee chairman, stated the move was the start of a replanting campaign.

### May Aid Refugees

On the assurance by Alderman Worthington, sponsor of the motion, that only approved immigrants would be invited to establish business in Victoria in noncompetitive lines to existing concerns, the council approved the resolution promising concessions to refugees from Germany, Czechoslovakia and other centres of persecution. Alderman S. H. Okell was emphatically in the negative. The council was of the opinion all applications for assistance in the way of free water and temporary tax exemption for new industries should be thoroughly studied before being accepted.

At the request of Alderman R. A. C. Dewar a report will be made by the fire chief, the building inspector and the sanitary inspector on the old garbage yard on Woodlands Road.

### Says Australia Fears Invasion

Australians live in an atmosphere of prosperity very different from the present atmosphere of Canada but they have one great fear hanging over them—that of invasion by Japan in the event of war, Alan W. Tuckwell, former Victoria Gyro, who returned recently from Australia, told the Gyro Club at its luncheon in the Empress Hotel yesterday.

They knew, he said, that they could expect little help from Britain if a general war broke out and they seemed on the road to compulsory military service.

Already they had formed the nucleus of a fine navy and they were at present forming a volunteer army of 70,000 men.

Mr. Tuckwell spoke especially of Sydney, and the picture which he gave of the New South Wales metropolis was one filled with contrasts.

The city, he said, was built around one of the finest harbors on earth, its suburbs stretched out 20 miles, and there were scores of new buildings going up in the business district. The stores were excellent, but the street lighting and the traffic control were very poor.

The private homes were without conveniences, and completely lacking in heating systems. The people spent most of their time out of doors in streets or parks. Things which Canadians took for granted—refrigerators, electric washers, vacuum cleaners and the like—were for the rich only. The women were among the smartest in the world, but the men always looked as if they had slept in their clothes.

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## Board Cannot Reduce Budget

### Estimates Already Passed To Limit, School Trustees Inform City Council

Estimates prepared by the City School Board and submitted to the City Council represented the "rock bottom" figure at which trustees felt the educational affairs of the city could be operated, the school board agreed yesterday.

In reaching this agreement the trustees voiced their protest of the implication from the City Council they had not given due regard to economy in preparing their budget. They appointed Chairman Percy E. George, Trustee W. P. Marchant, G. H. Deane, municipal inspector, and W. F. C. Pope, secretary, a committee to discuss estimates with the council.

Trustee George, said the fact that some business men of the city did not realize the board had done everything possible to keep its estimates down had given him some concern. The public, he continued, was paralleling the preparation of the council estimates with those of the school board, pointing out the council had cut thousands from its levy to keep the tax rate down.

The school board had done the same thing, he pointed out, but this had been done by committee hearings and not in open meetings, with the result it had not received the publicity the council's work had.

Yesterday's meeting of the board, held in the late afternoon, was to consider the council's request that estimates of the board be reduced. The board replied it could not meet the request since the ordinary estimates had already been prepared with the greatest economy, substantial reductions had been made from the original draft and further reduction could not be made without seriously impairing the necessary services of education.

Trustee Marchant said there had been no suggestion by the board it was preparing its budget to bargain with the council. All trustees appreciated the fact their primary duty was to taxpayers and there was no desire whatever to pad estimates and professed economy by reducing them.

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### Public Health Debated By M.P.'s

#### Present Services Will Be Co-ordinated Power Predicts

Ottawa (CP) — Increasing activity on the part of the federal Parliament and government in the fields of public health and social security was predicted last night by two cabinet ministers as the House of Commons debated the pension system in Canada was constitutionally in the hands of the provinces, Mr. Dunning said.

The resolution of the teachers' pension fund has become necessary to place it on a sound basis, government sources say. It is burdened with an overload of existing pensions which threaten a deficit and a government grant of \$25,000 a year for ten years ceased in 1938.

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**I.O.D.E. Chapter to Hold Tea On Hospital Day**

At the monthly meeting of the Florence Nightingale Chapter, I.O.D.E., held at headquarters on Monday, with Mrs. James Baker, regent, in the chair, Mrs. F. Baylis reported that the house-to-house stall at the recent gala and fete held in the Armories in conjunction with the other chapters had netted the chapter \$2,58. Both she and Mrs. Lenfesty, who aided her at this stall, were warmly thanked by the regent.

Six pairs of earphones and tubes for the radio in the Pavilion at the Jubilee Hospital were donated, and in response to a request for a gramophone for one of the wards, Mrs. Baker offered to procure one for them. Any member willing to sew some garments that are already cut out, for the children at the Solarium, are asked to communicate with Mrs. J. F. Eve.

A bridge tea is planned for April 13, to be held at Spencer's. Four prizes will be offered—one for contract, one for auction and two door prizes. A tea will also be held at the Jubilee Hospital on Hospital Day, and plans for this include an interesting program under the direction of Mrs. Gillis. A needlepoint stool, donated by Mrs. Baker, will be a contest prize at this affair.

Clothing for a family of 10 children living in an isolated district is needed and members who have any of these to spare are asked to phone Mrs. George Mellor, E 8850.

**Art in Mob-caps**

**LONDON (CP)** — Because red costumes of Burlington House waitresses clashed with old masters in the Royal Academy, Dame Laura Knight designed a new serving costume of fresh green cotton with white muslin cuffs, gartered frills and mob cap, that is regarded as filling the bill from an artistic point of view.

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**Modern Etiquette**

By ROBERTA LEE

1. Should girls working together in an office call each other by their last names—without using Miss?
2. May girls working together call each other by their first names?
3. Should a business man stand up when a woman visitor comes into his office?
4. Is it good manners to smoke in an elevator?
5. Is it good manners to "smooch" cigarettes continually?
- What would you do if—
- You are a widow and would like to continue using your husband's name—yet your friends persist in addressing your letters "Mrs. Elizabeth Denman"?
- (a) Tell them your preference?
- (b) Have your writing paper marked, "Mrs. Fran Denman"?
- (c) Accept their preference?

**Answers**

1. No.
2. If it is the custom of the office—and it is in most.
3. It is not absolutely necessary—but many men take the trouble.
4. No.
5. No.

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**Golfers Guests at After-five Party Yesterday**

Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Hodges Hosts to Visitors Here for Golf Week

The popularity of the 19th hole was again apparent yesterday afternoon when the visitors who are here for the Empress Winter Golf Tournament, together with the local golfers participating in the tournament, were the guests of Mr. J. K. Hodges, manager of the hotel, and Mrs. Hodges at a cocktail party at the Empress Hotel. Arranged in the lower lounge, the affair was the first of a series of delightful functions arranged for the entertainment of those taking part in the tournament at the Oak Bay course, and afforded an opportunity for the local players to meet the visitors.

Masses of pale-pink plum-blossoms, tulips, daffodils and blue

iris were arranged in the lounge.

A buffet supper was served in the Tudor Grill, where the long tables, spread with pale green damask cloths, were decorated with bowls of daffodils and silver candelabra holding lighted green tapers.

Spun sugar baskets, ornamented with spun sugar "ribbon" bows and filled with petits fours

had been specially made for the occasion by the chef of the hotel, and attracted a great deal of attention and admiration.

The hotel orchestra played for dancing during supper.

**DINNER DANCE**

At a dinner dance to be held in Crystal Ballroom tomorrow evening, Harger and Maye, spectacular ballroom danciers from Hollywood and the Biltmore Rose Bowl,

the latter having been a member of Lacombe, Alberta, chapter, and two new members were proposed. The chapter now has a

membership of over 40. Tea hostesses were: Mrs. Layard and Mrs.

A. R. Price.

**Queen Mary Mistook Little Boy for Doll**

**LONDON (CP)** — A six-year-old boy whom she mistook for a doll gave Queen Mary a surprise at the British Industries Fair.

Six-year-old Basil Stoddart, son of an exhibitor, was dressed in white shirt and Highland kilt and told to stand at attention when Queen Mary came along.

He stood stiff as a ramrod for 10 minutes, so immobile he fooled

Her Majesty.

Then she looked closer and said: "Oh, I am sorry. I thought you were a little doll."

Said the "doll" politely but firmly, "no, I am Basil."

**Protestant Orphanage Undergoing Repairs**

The monthly meeting of the ladies' committee of the Protestant Orphans' Home met yesterday afternoon, with the president, Mrs. F. V. Longstaff, presiding, and the following members present: Mesdames Luney-Coutts, Dinsmore, Shepherd, Sherwood, Elliott, Humphries, Dillabough, Heddle, Hughes, Fraser, Cox and Simpson.

The visiting committee had found everything in the home very satisfactory, it was reported. The home is having some repairing done, including a new floor in the boys' playroom.

Through the kindness of Mr. R. Castle, the children were treated to the puppet show at the Oak Bay Theatre. The Blue Line bus called for them.

Mrs. Hughes and Mrs. Fraser will visit the home for March.



There is room for but one U.S. representative on the Inter-American Commission of Women. And Doris Stevens, top chairman of the group, won't leave her office in the Pan-American building at Washington, D.C., to admit Mary Winslow, lower, analyst for the Labor Department, named by President Roosevelt in the first appointment by the White House to the Inter-American Commission.



Photo by Associated Screen News.

A mixed foursome—in conversation—at the Empress winter golf tourney at the Oak Bay course yesterday afternoon. From left to right is Mr. A. McNeill of Saskatoon, Mrs. McNeill, Mr. Roy Hadley of Victoria, and Mrs. R. K. Bearstot of Winnipeg, a well-known golfing visitor.

**SOCIAL and PERSONAL**

Mme. Sanderson-Mongin went over to Vancouver to address the mainland branch of L'Alliance Francaise last evening and returned to Victoria today.

Mr. K. Harris, of the staff of the Royal Bank, is spending two weeks' vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Harris, at Ganges Harbor.

Mrs. W. G. Crawford, Penderston Road, has left for Seattle to spend a few days before proceeding to Penticton on a visit to her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Crawford.

Mrs. Fred Jeffery of Maple Bay, who has been spending a few days with her son-in-law and daughter, Lieut.-Col. Aubrey Kent and Mrs. Kent, Douglas Street, returned home yesterday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. T. N. Craig of Edmonton announced the engagement of their only daughter, Ann, to Mr. George Ganner, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Ganner of Victoria. The wedding will take place April 8 at the First United Church at 8 p.m.

Miss A. J. Fawcett, Menzies Street, who has been visiting in Vancouver with Mr. and Mrs. Ray Bicknell for the last few weeks, returned home yesterday afternoon. She was accompanied by Mrs. George Walkem of Vancouver, who will be her guest for a few days.

Mr. W. S. Tull, 12 Hampton Road, announces the engagement of his second daughter, Alice Pauline, to Mr. Robert Lindsay, only son of Mr. H. Lindsay and the late Mrs. Lindsay of Mount Tolmie. The wedding will take place quietly at home on March 25.

Mrs. James Watson, Somass Drive, was hostess at a delightful tea party this afternoon in honor of her daughter, Miss Helen Watson, who will become the bride of Mr. Roy Denny this month. Mrs. Watson was assisted by her daughter, Miss Dorothy Watson. Tea was served at a table covered with a hand-embroidered cloth and centred with a cut-glass bowl of fed tulips, surrounded with moss and heather, and smaller vases of mimosa. A beautifully-gowned miniature bride occupied a prominent place in the decorative scheme, and the reception room was gay with masses of spring flowers. Presiding at the tea table during the afternoon were Mrs. E. B. Stoney, Miss C. Connacher, Mrs. A. S. Denny, Mrs. A. Horne, Mrs. H. Barraclough and Mrs. J. H. Simpson. Other guests invited included: Mrs. A. S. Denny, Mrs. Walter Stenner, Mrs. W. Bowden, Mrs. Graham, Mrs. H. Tait, Mrs. R. M. Lochead, Mrs. Leigh, Mrs. W. Rogers, Mrs. Robertson, Mrs. J. W. Carle, Mrs. G. C. Dingwall, Mrs. McNeill, Mrs. D. Eskens, Mrs. George Lovitt, Mrs. S. Renfrew, Mrs. Grist, Mrs. Gunn, Mrs. Tom Denny, Mrs. McGowan Sr., Mrs. McGowan Jr., Mrs. H. Hemming, Mrs. C. Cremer, Mrs. Miller, Mrs. J. Cameron, Mrs. J. Hannah, Miss McLeod, Mrs. P. Noel, Mrs. McVivor, Mrs. H. P. Madsen, Mrs. J. K. Annandale, Mrs. W. A. Pendray, Miss Lloyd, Mrs. Stone, Mrs. H. Needham, Mrs. H. E. Braley, Mrs. McDonald, Mrs. S. Sagar, Miss Haines, Mrs. B. Kiesow, Mrs. Robertson, Mrs. B. Dodge, Mrs. F. B. Chettleburgh and Mrs. Adams.

Captain W. A. Gosse and Mrs. Gosse, Oliver Street, Oak Bay, went over to Vancouver to attend the wedding of Captain Gosse's sister, Miss Dorothy Victoria Gosse, and Mr. William Joseph Scott that took place in Vancouver on Saturday evening.

Mrs. Robert Leya of San Juan, Argentia, arrived in Victoria on Sunday on a visit to her sister, Mrs. Stephen Burnett, Empress Hotel, and to her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Hall of Gordon Head. At present Mrs. Leya is staying with her son at the Empress Hotel.

The Students' Council of Victoria College entertained at a reception last evening in honor of the cast of the comedy "Spring Dance," presented by the College Players last week. The reception hall was attractively arranged with greenery and lighted Japanese lanterns, and dancing was enjoyed. During the evening Professor P. H. Elliott spoke congratulating the players, and brief addresses were also given by Mr. John Meredith, president of the Students' Council; Mr. S. Pettit, of the faculty; Miss Vivien Combe, director of the play, and by members of the council and cast. Refreshments were served, rounding out an enjoyable evening.

Mr. V. Lane, 1116 Princess Avenue, was "at home" to her friends on Saturday afternoon, from 3 to 5, and again in the evening, the occasion being her 87th birthday. Mrs. Stanley Young, assisted her mother in receiving. Mrs. Lane received many tokens of remembrance and many beautiful bouquets. The table was beautifully set with a lace cloth and centred with a large bowl of iris and pink tulips, the place of honor being given the beautifully-decorated birthday cake made by Mrs. Lane. Assisted in serving were Mrs. Hugh Simmers, Mrs. S. Young and Miss Nancy Young. Mrs. A. Pinkerton poured tea. Mrs. Lane was a devout Christian and a life-long member of the Metropolitan Church.

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Danish Prince and  
Princess Sail  
For America

COPENHAGEN (AP)—Crown Prince Frederik of Denmark and Crown Princess Ingrid—often called Europe's handsomest and most democratic royal couple—sailed for London today on the first stage of a trip to the United States.

The 40-year-old, six-foot-three-inch prince and the 29-year-old princess are due to reach London tomorrow. They will visit with her grandfather, the 89-year-old Duke of Connaught, until next Monday, when they are to sail from Southampton aboard the liner Canada for California.

They are due at San Pedro, Calif., April 6 and will be the guests of President and Mrs. Roosevelt at Hyde Park, N.Y., after a transcontinental tour.

The royal couple were unable to accept an invitation to visit British Columbia.

Kipling Memorial Is  
Started at Windsor

Princess Alice Lays  
Foundation Stone  
At Empire College

WINDSOR, Eng. (CP)—Princess Alice, the Countess of Athlone, yesterday laid the foundation stone of the Rudyard Kipling Memorial Buildings at Imperial Service College.

Viscount Massey, Canadian High Commissioner, told the audience no more fitting place could be found for a Kipling memorial than the grounds of the school he immortalized with his novel "Stalky and Co."

Mr. Massey said:

"Kipling looked on life as a challenge to be accepted not with resignation but with zest. He believed in the destiny of the British peoples and he loved the spirit of adventure which has marked their common history."

This school should be a veritable laboratory of adventure. The British Empire today still has need of its product."

The buildings will be two boys' houses, accommodating about 100 pupils, and two houses for masters.

Mr. Lyonulph Tollemaire is the headmaster of the Imperial Service College, and his wife, who is a daughter of Mrs. E. A. W. Pearse of 2589 Bowker Avenue, Oak Bay, entertained 2,000 guests at tea after the formal opening ceremonies yesterday.

Victoria Featured  
In Big 'Post' Ad.

The Parliament Buildings in Victoria and the statue of Queen Victoria in front of them will appear in full color in an advertising spread covering the two centre pages of the March 11 issue of the Saturday Evening Post.

Put out jointly by the governments of British Columbia, Washington and Oregon, the advertisement gives the place of honor at the top left hand corner to pictures of Victoria and Vancouver.

Also included are views of Oregon's Crater Lake and Coast Highway and Washington's Mount Rainier and Grand Coulee Dam.

The advertisement urges travelers: "This year see all the Pacific Northwest, the evergreen empire of Washington, Oregon, British Columbia (Canada).

It speaks of "a vacation in two nations . . . and from sea-level to ski-level."

Of Victoria the advertisement says: "This bit of Old England is the portal to Vancouver Island's famed resorts," and of British Columbia: "Vast, unspoiled land of beauty, grandeur, adventure . . . of elusive qualities that make it different . . . Its charm is new with all the novelty of a trip abroad. A vacation in British Columbia is a pleasant adventure in a land of Romance; colorful, spacious, wonderfully attractive."

The two-page spread includes a pictorial map of the province and the two states, complete with the Parliament Buildings, a Royal Canadian Mounted Police constable, a fisherman, a mountain goat, a bear and a Highland dancer in the British Columbia section.



## Clubwomen's News

The Esquimalt W.I. will hold their regular 500 card party on Thursday evening at St. Paul's Parish Hall at 8:15.

Far West Assembly No. 30, Canadian Daughters of the Empire, will meet in the Orange Hall, Courtney Street, on Friday evening at 8. At a recent executive meeting, plans were made for a St. Patrick's Day musical and tea, to be held in the Chamber of Commerce on March 16, to raise funds for the purchase of books and handicraft materials for the children of the Queen Alexandra Solarium, under the chairwomanship of Mrs. F. Briers. For reservations phone Mrs. Cottell, E 4773; Mrs. P. Fitzsimmons, G 3245, or Mrs. F. Briers, G 5462.

Arrangements for a St. Patrick's Day supper to be held in the lecture room of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church on March 17 were made at the monthly meeting of St. Andrew's Women's Guild, held yesterday afternoon in the lecture hall, with the president, Mrs. C. W. Hawkins, in the chair. Mrs. Surplice was appointed general convener. A rummage sale will be held in the lecture room on April 5, and Mrs. W.

Head will convene the sale. A letter was received from Mrs. John Baxter, convener of the Y.W.C.A. Travelers' Aid, thanking the guild for its interest and support. The president extended an invitation to the members to inspect the church kitchen, which has been newly remodeled and re-decorated. Tea was served after the meeting with Mrs. C. W. Hawkins, Mrs. G. Sansom, Mrs. Surplice and Mrs. P. J. Cudlip as hostesses. On behalf of the members, Mrs. J. H. Young moved the vote of thanks to these ladies for their hospitality.

This would only be feasible if Parliament had completed its business by May 20 when Their Majesties' stay in Ottawa ends.

Another suggestion advanced here is the King might attend Parliament in full state and give Royal assent to any bill just passed.

There is no precedent for a State proroguing but constitutional authorities see no reason why it should not take place.

Britons feel the presence of the King at such a ceremony, crowned and wearing royal robes, would be a striking illustration of the significance of the crown and the sovereign as a link binding the Empire together.

The crown of state weighs not more than 19 ounces, much lighter than St. Edward's Crown which scales nearly five pounds. The state crown was made in 1838 for Queen Victoria. It contains more than 6,000 precious stones, taken from older crowns.

LONDON (CP)—The King and Queen will leave for Canada May 6, instead of May 8, in order to avoid the possibility that fog might delay their scheduled arrival in Quebec May 15.

Date of departure from Portsmouth was advanced because of the prevalence of fog off England, but Their Majesties will arrive in Canada on the day originally fixed.

If the battle cruiser Repulse, aboard which their Majesties will travel, is not delayed it will steam the last 1,000 miles at slow speed so as not to arrive ahead of schedule.

Officers of the corps reserve of officers and reserve officers, and officers on the retired list, who may be parading or appearing in a military capacity at any ceremony or function, will wear such orders of dress as are permitted by regulations and which the district officer commanding may consider appropriate.

Regarding veterans, the announcement said that it is anticipated that instructions regarding dress for veterans will be determined by the executives of the various veterans' organizations.

In the case of cadet corps which are authorized to participate in any function, there will be no objections to uniforms being worn provided uniformity is maintained.

The two-page spread includes a pictorial map of the province and the two states, complete with the Parliament Buildings, a Royal Canadian Mounted Police constable, a fisherman, a mountain goat, a bear and a Highland dancer in the British Columbia section.

ENO keeps you  
hale and hearty!

A well-attended and interesting meeting of the Women's Missionary Society, Victoria West United Church, was held at the home of Mrs. W. F. Perry, Arm Street, yesterday afternoon. With Mrs. Perry presiding, a stimulating message of inspiration was brought by Mrs. W. H. Gibson, formerly in missions among the Indians in northern British Columbia. A new member, Mrs. E. King, was welcomed to the society. Arrangements were made for the Easter thanksgiving meeting to be held in the church parlor on Monday, April 3, with speaker and soloists to be procured. "The Master's Call to Service" leaflet, Mrs. Perry as leader, was read, with responses, all standing for the dedication in unison, after the increased annual allocation had been unanimously accepted on motion of Mrs. William Caley and supplies asked for had been donated in immediate response. Many visits to sick ones were reported by Mrs. Higginson. Mrs. J. Hood, from the study book, "The World in Canada," gave a stirring portrayal of the splendid characteristics of early pioneer clergymen and missionaries who established Protestantism in the new land; British Canada. Prayer by Mrs. Guy closed the meeting. A social time and refreshments served by Mrs. Perry were enjoyed.

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## RENO BOUND—Incompatibility will be the grounds on which Mrs. Rita Beery, above, will seek divorce in Reno from movie star Wallace Beery. Beery's first wife was Gloria Swanson.

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TAKE A MINUTE to look at the pictures above. They may save you hours of discomfort next time you have a cold or the raw, scratchy sore throat that comes with so many colds.

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some of the material it contained would be classified under postal regulations as objectionable, she sent her magazine through the mails. She was arrested. She fled to Europe by way of Montreal.

She spent much of that year in Holland, where birth-control information had been disseminated free since 1906. Then she returned to the United States and told the courts she was ready for trial. A furor ensued. When the trial was called the case was dismissed.

By this time the name Margaret Sanger, and her cause, were known to millions.

Now there are 400 birth-control

clinics in the United States. Mrs. Sanger is still traveling to organize them. From 1933 to 1936 she worked in Washington trying to change the postal regulations, but congressional committees turned her down. Then last year a circuit court decision in New York made it permissible to send birth control information through the mail to doctors. That was enough for Mrs. Sanger. She pulled up Washington stakes. But did she leave for a holiday in her winter home in Arizona? Not Margaret Sanger. She packed her bags and took to the road to open more clinics.

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## Radio Programs

## Tonight

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Vibration Time—KOMO.  
Gillies and Sullivan—KJR, KGO.  
U.B.C. March—KOMO, KVI.  
Howie Wing—KIRO, KNX, KVI at 5:15.  
Johnny Murray—KOL at 5:15.

5.30

Information Please—KOMO, KPO.  
Paul Martin's Music—KJR, KGO.  
Dick Tracy—KOL.  
World on Parade—KGO at 5:45.  
Cal. Legislature—KNX at 5:45.  
Orphan Annie—KOL at 5:45.

6

On Wings of Melody—KPO.  
What's the Big Idea?—KGO.  
The Big Show—KIRO, KNX, KVI.  
Appointments—CBR.  
Jack Armstrong—KOL.  
Old Hideberg Concert—KOL at 6:15.

6.30

Fibber McGee—KOMO, KPO.  
Doc Rockwell's Braintrust—KJR, KGO.  
Benny Goodman's Show—KIRO, KNX.  
KX.  
Symphony—CBR.  
Adventures—KOL at 6:45.

7

Bob Hope's Show—KOMO, KPO.  
It Happened to Me—KJR, KGO.  
Dr. Christian—KJR, KNX, KVI.

7.30

Uncle Ezra—KOMO, KPO.  
Song of the Lone Star—KGO.  
Jimmy Fidell—KIRO, KNX, KVI.  
Alton Morris—KOMO, KVI.  
Green Heron—KOL.  
Night Editor—KOMO, KPO at 7:45.  
American Viewpoints—KIRO, KNX, KVI at 7:45.  
Frankly Speaking—CBR at 7:45.

8

Amos 'n' Andy—KOMO, KPO.  
World on Parade—KGO.  
Western Roundup—CBR.  
Roy Clark—KOL.  
Fulton Lewis Jr.—KOL.  
Vocal Varieties—KOMO, KPO at 8:15.  
Winkler's Amateurs—KOL at 8:15.  
Elizabethan Singers—CBR at 8:15.  
Don't Believe It—KOL at 8:15.

8.30

Johnny Presents—KOMO, KPO.  
Big Town—KIRO, KNX, KVI, CBR.  
Jan Savitt's Orchestra—KOMO, KPO.  
Al Jolson's Show—KIRO, KNX, KVI, CBR.  
Newspaper of the Air—KOL.  
Frank and Archie—KOL at 8:15.

9

Carnival—KOMO, KPO.  
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Grouchy Club—KIRO, KNX, KVI.  
How Farming Began—KPO.  
Dance—KJR at 9:45.

9.30

News Flasher—KOMO, KPO.  
Emil Raffa's Orchestra—KJR, KGO.  
Ervin Young—KJR.  
Alma Miller—CBR.  
Phil Harris' Orchestra—KOL.  
Charles Agnew's Orchestra—KOMO, KPO.  
10.15—Nitecap—KIRO, KNX, KVI at 10:15.

10

New Flasher—KOMO, KPO.  
Shep Fields' Orchestra—KOMO, KPO.  
Nottingham's Orchestra—KJR, KGO.  
Harry Owens' Orchestra—KNX, KVI.  
Dinner Foster's Orchestra—KOL.  
Matt Malneck's Orchestra—KNX, KVI at 10:45.

10.30

Shep Fields' Orchestra—KOMO, KPO.  
Nottingham's Orchestra—KJR, KGO.  
Harry Owens' Orchestra—KNX, KVI.  
Dinner Foster's Orchestra—KOL at 11:15.

11.30

Herbie Kerr's Orchestra—KOMO, KPO.  
Archie Beyer's Orchestra—KNX, KVI.  
Playboys—KOL.

## Tomorrow

7:30

Financial Services—KJR.  
News—KNX, KVI, KOL.  
Rise and Shine—CBR.  
Morning Devotions—CBR at 7:45.

8

Ted White—KPO.  
Vinegar Ensemble—KJR.  
Pat Pinner—KVI.

8.30

News—CBR.  
Sons of the Pioneers—KOL.  
International Kitchen—KJR at 8:15.  
Sister Raphaell—KIRO, KNX, KVI at 8:15.  
Musical Minutes—CBR at 8:05.  
Haven of Rest—KOL at 8:45.

9

Paul Page—KJR, KGO.  
Kitty Keene—KJR at 8:45.  
Drama—CBR at 9:45.  
World on Parade—KGO at 8:45.  
Brown and Berman—KNX, KVI at 9:15.  
Kiddolets—CBR at 9:15.  
Bob Mitchell—KOL at 9:15.

9.30

Farm and Home Hour—KJR, KGO.  
Heidi—KJR, KNX, KVI.  
B.C. School Broadcast—CBR.  
Fireside Singers—KOMO at 9:45.  
Cal. School Broadcast—CBR at 10:45.  
Dan and Sylvia—CBR at 10:45.  
Voice of Experience—KOL at 10:45.

10

John's Other Wife—KOMO, KPO.  
Ginger Rogers—KJR, KGO.  
Happy Gang—CBR—KJR, KVI.  
Just Plain Bill—KOMO at 10:15.  
Astronomer Today—KJR, KGO at 10:15.  
Life is Beautiful—KIRO, KNX, KVI at 10:15.

10.30

Dangerous Roads—KOMO, KPO.  
Prable Tales—KJR, KGO.  
Road of Life—KJR, CBR.  
Dr. K. K. KOMO, KPO at 10:45.  
Cal. School Broadcast—CBR at 10:45.  
Dan and Sylvia—CBR at 10:45.  
Voice of Experience—KOL at 10:45.

11

Betty and Bob—KOMO, KPO.  
Your Health—KJR, KGO.  
Big Bands—KJR, KNX, KVI, CBR.  
School of the Air—KJR, KGO at 11:15.  
Grimm's Daughter—KJR, KPO at 11:15.  
Aunt Jenny—KIRO, KNX, KVI at 11:15.  
London Calling—CBR at 11:15.

11.30

Valiant Lady—KOMO, KPO.  
U.S. Marine Band—KJR.  
Theater—KJR, KGO, KVI, CBR.  
American School—KIRO, KNR, KVI.  
Helene Danjels—KOL at 12:15.  
Betty Crocker—KOMO at 11:45.  
Muse and Music—KOL at 11:45.

12

May Martin—KOMO, KPO.  
Old Days of Agriculture—KJR, KGO.  
Three Capers—CBR.  
Ma Perkins—KOMO at 12:15.  
Adventure Today—KJR at 12:15.  
Carnival Hall—KOL at 12:15.  
Bill Lewis—KOL at 12:15.

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## Radio Headliners Tonight

5.30 Information Please—KPO,

KOMO.

6.00 We, the People—KIRO,

KNX, KVI.

6.30 Fibber McGee—KOMO,

KPO.

6.30 Benny Goodman—KIRO,

KNX, KVI.

7.00 Bob Hope—KOMO, KPO.

7.00 Dr. Christian—KNX, KVI,

KIRO.

7.00 Story Girl—CFCT.

8.30 Johnny Presents—KOMO,

KPO.

8.30 Big Town—KIRO, KNX,

KVI, CBR.

9.00 Al Jolson—KIRO, KNX,

KVI, CBR.

9.30 Grouch Club—KIRO, KVI,

KNX.

10.00 KNX.

10.15 KJR.

10.30 KJR.

11.00 KGO.

11.45 KOL.

12.00 KNX.

12.30 Network Stations

KOMO (92.1), KPO (1680), KFI

(640)—National (680), KGO (790)—National

Blue.

KIRO (710), KNX (1,050), KVI

(560)—Columbia.

KOL (1,270)—Mutual.

CBR (1,100)—Canadian.

12.30

Pepper Young—KOMO, KPO.

Lt. Col. (R.L.)

Harvey Harting—KIRO, KVI.

Hugh Monaco's Orchestra—KOL.

Guitar Player—KJR at 12:45.

Between the Beads—KJR, KGO at 12:45.

Fletcher Wiley—KIRO, KVI at 12:45.

News—CBR at 12:45.

Modern Music—CBR at 12:45.

Bookshelf—KOL at 12:45.

1

Backstage Wife—KOMO, KPO.

Club—Matinee—KJR, KGO.

Guitar Player—KIRO, KNX, KVI.

How Do You Do—CBR.

Stella Dallas—KOMO, KPO at 1:15.

Natalie Main—KJR, KOMO, KVI at 1:15.

Tico Tico Trio—KOL at 1:15.

2

Vic and Dale—KOMO, KPO.

Kirkland House—KIRO, KVI.

Pictures in Song—CBR.

Gail Alone—KOMO, KPO at 4:55.

Sister—KJR, KOMO, KVI at 4:55.

International Intrigue—CBR at 4:55.

Book a Week—KOL at 4:55.

3

Landi Trio—KJR.

Exposition Brothers—CBR.

Mickey Mouse—CBR.

Melody Lane—CBR.

Charles Sears—KOMO at 2:45.

Vic Young—KJR, KGO at 2:45.

Eton Boys—KVI at 2:45.

Closing Show—Quotations—CBR at 2:45.

4

Women's Man—KOMO, KPO.

Marlowe and Lynn—KJR, KGO.

Today with Bob Trout—KIRO, KNX, KVI.

Germany Salutes—CBR.

Romance Lyrics—KJR, KGO at 3:15.

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(Sgd.) J. S. TAYLOR, M.P.,

## Letters to the Editor

## "FORGET PARTY" BALLOT

To the Editor:—I have sent a letter to a correspondent at Cowichan Station in answer to a printed ballot I have just received. Probably many readers of your paper feel disposed to send a similar ballot, and I think your action may be anticipated if you will kindly publish the enclosed contents of my reply:

"Dear Correspondent:—I have received from you this morning what purports to be a ballot asking me to 'forget party advantage and co-operate for the common good.'

"Because there is not the slightest doubt in my mind that this is a well-intentioned expression of your attitude towards political activities and the progress, or the lack of progress in the House of Commons, I am accepting it in perfect good faith. I would like you personally to know, however, that I was voted out of the House of Commons by the Canadian People; expelled because I refused to follow what was claimed as 'party advantage.' Today the signatory of the telegram which made the first move to bring about my expulsion from the party is a pronounced Communist and writes to the Nanaimo papers as such.

"I have every sympathy for the urge which is increasing all through the country to get down to business and develop social security for the people, but do not let it be forgotten that we are where we are because we are what we are, and that Parliament actually, as well as actively, reflects the wishes of the people; not only so, but the government enjoys public confidence, its paper cheques have but 10 per cent, or less, in metallic currency to back them.

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"In any case, the new verse is being dedicated to the Canadian Legion, British Empire Soldiers' League, the 'Amputations' Association and to the Church of Christ at large. It was composed in Christ Church Cathedral, Victoria, British Columbia, November 11, 1938.

F. W. L. MOORE,  
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## THOSE CHINESE "AGGRESSORS"

To the Editor:—In a recent letter (Embarcading Japan) the proposal to coax or bribe Japan to withdraw from China is too absurd for discussion. The wicked Communists are declared to be the "real aggressors." This is the exact opposite of the truth. Japan as far back as 1918 tried to destroy Chinese national freedom by presenting her "Twenty-one Demands," and since then has ceaselessly striven, by corrupting the war lords, by extorting concessions, by forcing goods into China without paying duty, by setting up hundreds of cocaine-heroin-pimp dives in Chinese cities, to reduce the country to chaos in order to make it an easy prey. Then came the seizure of Manchukuo and the savage attack on Shanghai in 1932. And in spite of all this the Chinese are termed aggressors, because they refused to buy from the innocent and friendly Japanese, and even had the diabolical wickedness to urge armed resistance to our Canadian people.

"I am very glad to hear from you and have taken the trouble to write at some length because, so far, you are the only correspondent who has addressed me with this matter.

"As my reply must be of very great interest to others of my constituents, I have asked the various papers through the riding to take note of it. I hope you recognize that this is

# Detroit Wings Feared Squad

## Sports Mirror

By PETE SALLAWAY

SELDOM HAS the selection of any British Columbia touring team created as much comment as heard around Victoria since the announcement of the rugby squad to visit California next month was made, following Saturday's McKechnie Cup match between Victoria's Crimson Tide and Vancouver Reps. All day Monday we were asked time and again "Why was Jack Ferguson left off the team?"

We make no attempt to answer the question, as that is something for the selection committee to look after. The touring side was chosen by a committee of eight, three Victorians and five Vancouverites. They apparently could not see their way clear to include Ferguson on the team, and it is not for us to tell them they made a mistake. However, we can tell a little about Ferguson's record for the season and let our readers judge for themselves.

Ferguson, captain of the Victoria Tide, rated among the best rugby players in British Columbia, turned in a splendid performance in Vancouver on Saturday, and more than once through his long, well-aimed kicks to touch relieved the pressure on the Victoria goal line, and several times he graced fleet-footed opposing ball carriers charging in for tries. On the whole his performance was good. So good, in fact, that Vancouver players, when they learned that he hadn't been chosen as a member of the touring team, were really surprised and expressed the same to our rugby reporter.

During the season Jack has handled the fullback duties for the J.B.A.A. team, and coach Bert Buller will tell you just how much his ability as a defenceman and the fine manner in which he can back up the three-quarters on their raids has helped to place the Bays in their present position at the top of the heap, with the championship practically within their grasp.

A factor that seemed unfair to the players actually participating in the McKechnie Cup final was that three players who were not in action were named to travel to California, but in all fairness it must be admitted that they are good ruggers. Vancouver players, by the way, were quite delighted about the whole thing. Judging their chances of getting berths in the invasion squad on their performance Saturday, they told Victoria men that they figured they would be lucky if six or seven of them were chosen. Ten were chosen.

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Chicago — Eddie Lander, 128, Chicago, outpointed Henry Huerta, 128, Washington, D.C. (8).

Club Regains Old-time Form in Major Hockey, Meets Boston Tonight

There is a substantial belief around the National Hockey League circuit at present that Detroit Red Wings are going to be a hard team to knock off in the soon-to-come playoffs. It has almost been conceded the Wings will make the grade into the post-season series.

The Wings, in winning their last three starts, have shown form reminiscent of their halcyon days in 1935-36 and 1936-37, when they rolled to two straight N.H.L. and Stanley Cup championships. Their defence is not as powerful as then, but they have regained some of the scoring punch that deserted them last season.

Just how strong they are should be demonstrated tonight when they engage the league-leading Bruins at Boston, while Montreal Canadiens invade New York for a meeting with Rangers. Should Bruins and Canadiens win it would mean the Montreal team would go into a fifth-place tie with the Wings. The Wings, however, have played a game less than Canadiens.

Rangers now are in their worst slump of the season, having lost their last three games. On February 25 the Rangers tied Canadiens 1 to 1 at Montreal, and since then have failed to pick up a point in a return game with the lowly Chicago Black Hawks and then the Bruins.

**SCORING RACE**

Whether his team, Montreal Canadiens, is up or down—and it's been mostly down this year—Hector (Toe) Blake keeps rolling along.

When Canadiens were the most fragile assemblage of hockey material in the N.H.L., Blake was in there getting his goals with regularity. Now that they're the hottest thing under the big tent, he's moving at about the same gait.

Two points—a goal and an assist—was his share of last week's Canadian campaigning and the league's weekly official statistics last night showed him with a total of 40 points, 18 goals and 22 assists, two up on Sweeney Schriner of New York Americans.

League leader in goals is Alex Shubick of New York Rangers with 20. But young Roy Conacher of Boston is sweeping up on him.

Centre Paul Haynes, who feeds Blake on a lot of those goals, is still with Schriner for the No. 1 spot in assists. Each has 27.

There's no argument about the bad man situation. "Red" Horner of Toronto Maple Leafs is winning in a breeze with 75 minutes in exile, almost 20 better than the 56 of Rangers' Art Coulter.

Scoring figures follow:

|                    | G. A. P. Pn. |
|--------------------|--------------|
| Blake, Canadiens   | 18 22 40 10  |
| Schriner, Amer.    | 11 27 38 20  |
| Anderson, Amer.    | 11 25 36 14  |
| Gottselig, Chicago | 15 20 35 15  |
| Apps, Toronto      | 13 20 33 4   |
| C. Smith, Rangers  | 15 18 33 2   |
| Barry, Detroit     | 11 22 33 2   |
| Carr, Americans    | 17 16 33 16  |
| Howe, Detroit      | 14 19 33 11  |
| Haynes, Canadiens  | 5 27 32 21   |
| Stewart, Amer.     | 14 17 31 31  |
| Cowley, Boston     | 6 25 31 2    |
| Watson, Rangers    | 13 17 30 40  |
| N. Colville, Rgrs. | 15 14 29 10  |
| Cagnon, C. Idens   | 10 19 29 13* |
| Wiseman, Amer.     | 12 17 29 6   |
| Dritten, Toronto   | 16 12 28 15* |
| Shubick, Rgrs.     | 20 8 28 20*  |
| Bauer, Boston      | 13 15 28 4   |
| Schmidt, Boston    | 13 15 28 13  |
| Flexall, Rangers   | 14 13 27 18  |
| Dumar, Boston      | 12 15 27 2   |
| R. Conacher, Bos.  | 19 8 27 12   |
| Cain, Canadiens    | 12 13 25 24  |
| Jackson, Toronto   | 9 16 25 2    |
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| Desilets, Chicago  | 11 12 23 28  |
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**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**DIED**

**COLLINS**—At the residence, 2122 Central  
Avenue, Oak Bay, on March 3, 1939. Gwendolyn Ethel Mildred Collins, beloved  
grandmother of the late Mr. Collins, aged  
37 years; born in Vancouver, B.C., and a  
resident of Victoria for about nine  
years. She was survived by her husband, one  
daughter, two brothers, Mr. and Mrs. John  
Scott, Vancouver, and a sister, Mrs. Dorothy  
Seattle, and a brother, Mr. Peter.

Funeral from Hayard's B.C. Funeral  
Chapel on Wednesday at 2 p.m. Interment  
in Royal Oak Burial Park.

**EAGLES**—Passed away on March 4 at St.  
Joseph's Hospital, Dr. Charles Fred-  
erick, 80, a native of England and a son of Victoria  
for nearly 28 years, a former resident  
of Victoria. Man, who practiced  
as an eye, ear, nose and throat specialist,  
survived by his widow and one daughter  
at the family residence, 1714  
Richmond Avenue. Mrs. Fredrick, John  
Eagles, residing in Burnaby, B.C., and  
Mrs. Victoria Tanner, of Vancouver,  
B.C., a nephew, Dr. Blyth  
Eagles, F.D., and Ursula, a native of  
British Columbia, Vancouver. Dr.  
Eagles was a valued member of Vancouver  
Quadrille Lodge No. 2, A.F. &  
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The funeral has been arranged to take  
place at the Royal Jubilee Hospital on  
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